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Docket:	KIYO-30CIP	)
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Title: PORC	US RESIN STAMP	)
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## **AMENDMENT**

## Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 29, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification: are included as a separate paper, amended as per Examiner requirements.

Amendments to the Claims: are on pages 2 - 5

Amendments to the Drawings: N/A

Remarks/Arguments begin on pages 6 - 11 of this paper

Appendix: N/A.



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Dear Sir:

Accompanying this letter is a replacement AMENDMENT/OFFICE ACTION RESPONSE relating to a U.S. Utility Patent Application serial number 10/647,735 to Applicants Shigeru Kitahara, Yasuo Nagasawa, Yuji Tanaka, & Yoshitomo Tanaka, entitled PORUS RESIN STAMP & consisting of: (1) response {11 pages}; (3) Replacement Specification (marked); (4) Replacement Specification (clean copy); & (5) cover letter &, (6) this acknowledgement post card. Docket: KIYO-30CIP Mailed June 29, 2004 Express Mail: EV 329 192 870 US

This amendment is submitted in response to an office action communication received on 03/29/2004. Accordingly, this document is

XX timely;
late by 1 month. If late, enclosed is a check for \$\sum_{.00}\$ in payment of the extension fee pursuant to 37 C.F.A. section 1.17.
The response:
XX does not add claims requiring payment of an additional fee;
does add claims requiring payment of an additional fee,

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The additional fees have been calculated as follows:

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Respectfully,

**Curt Harrington** 

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**Enclosures** 

- 1. Acknowledgment postcard
- 2. Amendment (11 pages)
- 3. Replacement Specification (marked)
- 4. Replacement Specification (clean)